



2005 Park Bond Election

\$13.6 million for Arlington Park Improvements

The Arlington City Council has approved an ordinance calling an election to allow voters to decide whether general obligation bonds in the amount of \$13.6 million should be spent to acquire, develop, renovate and improve parks and open spaces.

Some of these projects would include:

- *New Neighborhood Park Development*
- *58 Acre Nature Preserve*
- *Dog Park*
- *New Picnic Areas*
- *New Restroom Facilities*
- *Linear Park Acquisition and Trail Development*
- *New and Renovated Pavilions*
- *Renovations at Ditto & Lake Arlington Golf Courses*
- *New and Renovated Playgrounds*
- *New and Renovated Walking Trails*
- *Renovated Roads and Parking Lots*
- *Field and Parking Lot Renovations at Harold Patterson Sports Center*

Details Inside!

Early voting begins Wednesday, April 20

See Early Voting Locations on back.

Election Day is Saturday, May 7

*For more information about the Park Bond Program contact
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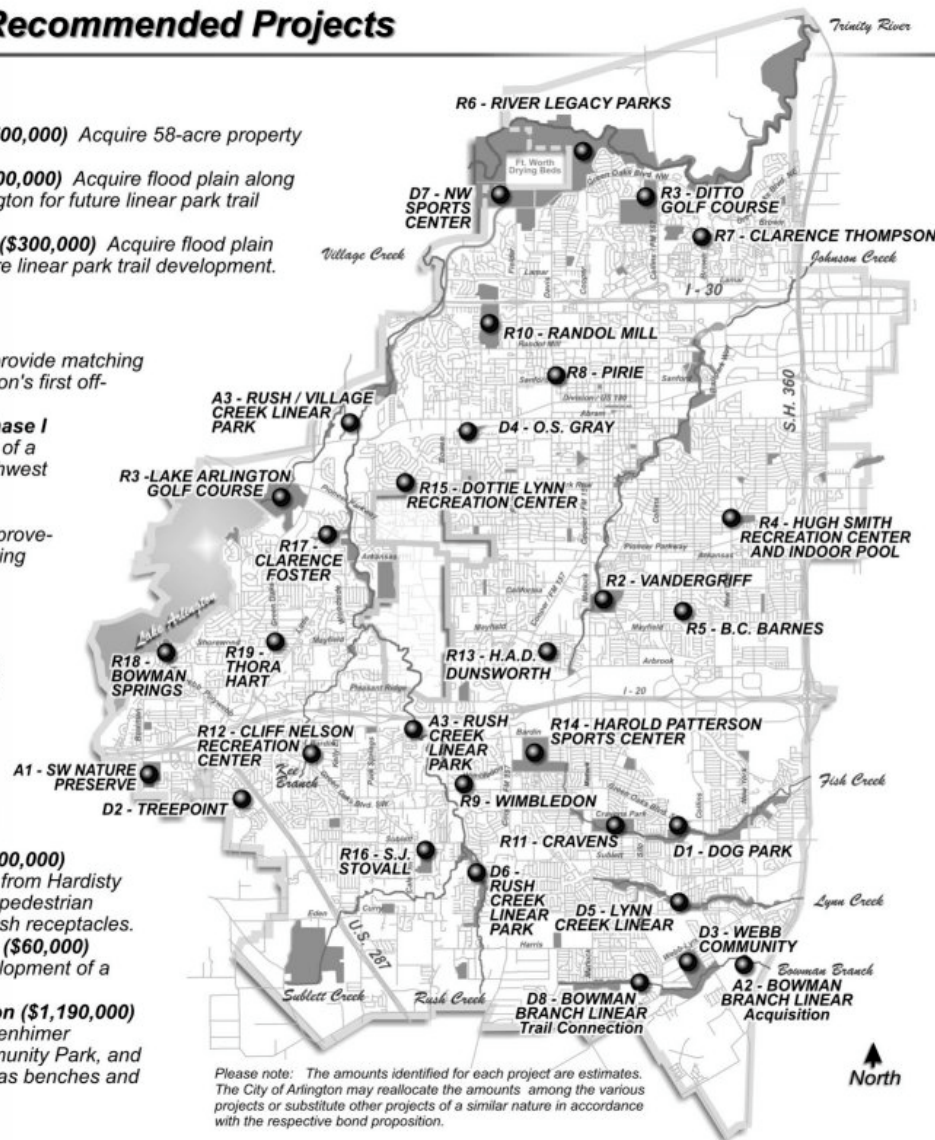
2005 Park Bond Recommended Projects

ACQUISITION

- A1 - Southwest Nature Preserve (\$2,700,000)** Acquire 58-acre property located in southwest Arlington.
- A2 - Bowman Branch Flood Plain (\$300,000)** Acquire flood plain along Bowman Branch in southeast Arlington for future linear park trail development.
- A3 - Rush / Village Creek Flood Plain (\$300,000)** Acquire flood plain along Rush / Village Creek for future linear park trail development.

DEVELOPMENT

- D1 - Dog Park (\$75,000)** Funding will provide matching funds to be used to develop Arlington's first off-leash dog park.
- D2 - Treepoint Neighborhood Park Phase I (\$750,000)** Develop the first phase of a 12-acre neighborhood park in southwest Arlington.
- D3 - Webb Community Park Phase II (\$600,000)** Construct additional improvements including walking trails, parking expansion, additional athletic field development, a pavilion, a skate park facility and landscaping.
- D4 - O.S. Gray Natural Area Phase I (\$200,000)** Develop the first phase of an existing 20-acre park located in central Arlington.
- D5 - Lynn Creek Trail Connection (\$200,000)** Extend the existing linear park trail west to Silo Road and east to Matlock Road, and include pedestrian amenities such as benches and trash receptacles.
- D6 - Rush Creek Trail Connection (\$600,000)** Extend the existing linear park trail from Hardisty Drive to Sublett Road, and include pedestrian amenities such as benches and trash receptacles.
- D7 - North Sports Center Master Plan (\$60,000)** Prepare a master plan for the development of a sports center in north Arlington.
- D8 - Bowman Branch Trail Connection (\$1,190,000)** Develop a linear trail from Don Misenhimer Neighborhood Park to Webb Community Park, and include pedestrian amenities such as benches and trash receptacles.



RENOVATION

- R1 - Park Partnership Funds (\$250,000)** Funds available to leverage improvements in various parks with community partners such as neighborhood groups, rotary clubs, and other civic-minded organizations.
- R2 - Vandergriff Park (\$1,300,000)** Renovations include roadway and/or parking lot reconstruction, new restroom facility, new pavilion, and relocation of the maintenance facility.
- R3 - Lake Arlington / Ditto Golf Course Renovations (\$600,000)** Course renovations and improvements include the renovation of the greens at Lake Arlington Golf Course, and irrigation and pond improvements at Ditto Golf Course.
- R4 - Hugh Smith Recreation Center Master Plan (\$30,000)** Develop master plan for a new recreation center at this location.
- R5 - B.C. Barnes (\$250,000)** Renovations include improvements to the playground and pavilion, adding a walking trail, picnic stations, area lighting, irrigation, and landscaping.
- R6 - River Legacy Park (\$1,000,000)** Renovations and improvements include reconstructing a portion of the park roadways, parking lots and playground.
- R7 - Clarence Thompson Park (\$150,000)** Renovations include reconstruction of the existing parking lot and irrigation for the athletic field.
- R8 - Pirie Park (\$90,000)** Replace the existing playground.
- R9 - Wimbledon Park (\$300,000)** Renovations include replacing the playground, athletic field irrigation, granite trail replacement, drainage repairs, and adding a new shelter and picnic stations.
- R10 - Randol Mill Park (\$500,000)** Renovations include reconstruction of the existing playground, replacement of the existing restroom at north end of park, and additional trail construction.
- R11 - Cravens Park (\$400,000)** Renovations include the walking trail, volleyball court drainage repairs, erosion repair, bridge replacement and pond dredging.

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RENOVATION - (Continued)

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R12 - Cliff Nelson Recreation Center (\$200,000) Renovations include enclosing an area on the first floor to develop an additional room and reconstructing the wooden deck with awning on the southwest side of the building.

R13 - HAD Dunsworth Park (\$30,000) Improvements include the addition of a basketball court.

R14 - Harold Patterson Sports Center Renovation (\$950,000) Renovations include replacement of two existing irrigation pumps, parking lot repairs, and the relocation and reconstruction of two soccer fields.

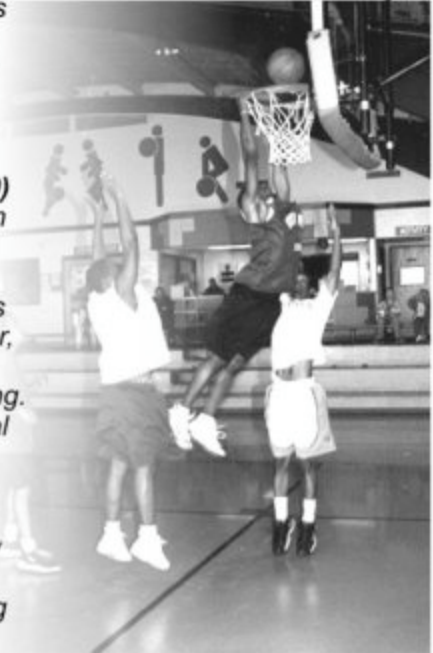
R15 - Dottie Lynn Recreation Center (\$300,000) Renovations include architectural improvements to the building exterior, enclosing the game room/vending area on first floor for class usage, renovating the kitchen and additional parking.

R16 - Stovall Park (\$150,000) Improvements include additional parking.

R17 - Clarence Foster Park (\$50,000) Improvements include additional lighting along the existing asphalt trail.

R18 - Bowman Spring (\$25,000) Improvements include a new pedestrian walkway from Poly Webb Road into park.

R19 - Thora Hart Park (\$50,000) Improvements include adding a retaining wall along Green Oaks Blvd. to correct an erosion problem.



EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS

Early Voting for City of Arlington elections is conducted at the following locations:

All registered voters are extended the opportunity to avoid possible inconveniences on election day by voting early at designated voting locations.

For more information about the voter registration process, Call the City Secretary's Office at 817-459-6186.

